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- The 2d VP Bereitschaft of Thuringia was identified in the Kradschuetzen Kaserne, Langensalza (M 52/J 03), in mid-march 1950. The headquarters of the Bereitschaft was in the Finanzamt (finance office) building.
- The Bereitschaft, which is organized in bers 1,000 to 1,200 rolice. three Kommandos, num-
- Only light infantry weapons were observed in the possession of police engaged in training.
- A policeman of the Bereitschaft called his unit an infantry Bereitschaft.
- Oberpolizeirat Nagel was identified as CO of the Bereitschaft * and Oberrolizeirat Glasen as PK-Chef. An unidentified Soviet instructor was attached to the unit.

Field Comment:

Believed to be Hans Nagel., an ex-policemen, subservient to the Soviets, an informer. He was head of the Antifa action group of PW Camp No. 7437 in the Soviet Union, and is ill-reputed as "Grave digger of Shalomove".

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